IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA VALDOSTA DIVISION

BERNARD HENRY ROBINSON,

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Plaintiff,

VS. : NO. 7:24-CV-00079-WLS-TOL

WARDEN GEORGE IVY, et al.,

Defendants.

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ORDER

Presently pending before the Court is a Complaint filed pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983 by pro se Plaintiff Bernard Henry Robinson, an inmate presently incarcerated in the Valdosta State Prison in Valdosta, Georgia (ECF No. 1). Plaintiff also moved for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in this action (ECF No. 2). On September 6, 2024, the Court ordered Plaintiff to either pay the \$405.00 filing fee in full or to file a complete and proper motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*, to include a certified copy of his prison trust fund account information. Plaintiff was given fourteen (14) days to comply, and he was advised that the failure to fully and timely comply with the Court's orders and instructions could result in the dismissal of this action. *See generally* Order, Sept. 6, 2024, ECF No. 4.

The time for compliance passed without a response from Plaintiff. As such, Plaintiff was ordered to respond and show cause why this case should not be dismissed for the failure to comply with the Court's previous orders and instructions. Plaintiff was also instructed that he must fully and timely comply with the Court's September 6th Order if he

wished to proceed with this action. Plaintiff was again given fourteen (14) days to respond, and he was again warned that the failure to comply with the Court's orders and instructions would result in the dismissal of his Complaint. *See generally* Order, Oct. 7, 2024, ECF No. 5.

The time for compliance has again passed without a response from Plaintiff. As Plaintiff was previously warned, the failure to comply with the Court's orders and instructions is grounds for dismissing this case. This action is therefore **DISMISSED** without prejudice. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 41; see also Brown v. Tallahassee Police Dep't, 205 F. App'x 802, 802 (11th Cir. 2006) (per curiam) ("The court may dismiss an action sua sponte under Rule 41(b) for failure to prosecute or failure to obey a court order.") (citing Lopez v. Aransas Cnty. Indep. Sch. Dist., 570 F.2d 541, 544 (5th Cir. 1978)).

IT IS SO ORDERED, this /2/1/2 day of November, 2024.

W. LOUIS SANDS, SR. JUDGE

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

¹ In Bonner v. City of Prichard, 661 F.2d 1206, 1209 (11th Cir. 1981) (en banc), the Eleventh Circuit adopted as binding precedent all decisions of the former Fifth Circuit handed down prior to close of business on September 30, 1981.